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French Publication No. 2776 790 purports to retrace the history of foodstuff within its production, processing and marketing channel consisting of the producers of the basic commodity and one or more intermediaries processing the basic commodity and offering the processed end product.

Applicants attach a copy of an informal English language translation of French Publication No. 2776 790 since the translation is within the possession, custody, or control of, or is readily available to any individual. Applicants do not vouch to the accuracy of the informal English language translation.

This statement is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3) before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits. A copy of the cited reference along with a translation is enclosed. No fee is deemed necessary with the filing of these documents.

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